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**HOUSE
RESOLUTION No. ____**

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A RESOLUTION honoring firefighter Keith Keuster.

Whereas, Firefighter Keith Keuster is a hero;

Whereas, Kenny Collins is alive today due to the quick actions of Keith Keuster;

Whereas, While traveling on the Ohio River to pick up a friend for a hunting trip, Keith Keuster was flagged down by a man near Green Light Curve;

Whereas, Keith Keuster was told that a man had been

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swept away by the swift current;

Whereas, Keith Keuster immediately notified Perry Township Volunteer Fire Department and AMR Ambulance and had St. Mary's LifeFlight helicopter dispatched;

Whereas, The victim was spotted by the St. Mary's LifeFlight helicopter clinging to a tree in about five feet of water, but his location was not accessible by water;

Whereas, With Keith Keuster on board, LifeFlight landed as close as possible to the victim;

Whereas, Keith Keuster and two MARRS Township rescuers who had reached the scene by jet ski walked out to the victim and carried him to safety; and

Whereas, Keith Keuster is a Hoosier hero: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives wishes to
2 express its gratitude to Keith Keuster and to commend him for his act
3 of bravery.

4 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
5 Representatives shall transmit a copy of this resolution to Keith Keuster
6 and his family.

